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ROCKFORD MAN SENTENCED TO 120 MONTHS IN FEDERAL PRISON FOR ILLEGALLY DISTRIBUTING CRACK COCAINE

ROCKFORD – PATRICK J. FITZGERALD, United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois; RICHARD W. SANDERS, Special Agent-in-Charge of the Chicago Division of the Drug Enforcement Administration; PAUL LOGLI, Winnebago County State's Attorney; RICHARD MEYERS, Winnebago County Sheriff; and STEVEN PUGH, Rockford Police Chief, today made the following announcement:

United States District Judge Philip G. Reinhard today sentenced **DARYL R. LEWIS**, 35 (DOB: 4/22/1970), of 422 Underwood, Rockford, Illinois, to 120 months in federal prison without parole for distributing "crack" cocaine.

Lewis pleaded guilty to the charge on May 20, 2005. In pleading guilty, Lewis admitted that on September 9, 2003, he knowingly and intentionally sold 61.9 grams of crack cocaine outside of his residence in Rockford.

In addition to 120 months in prison, the court ordered Lewis to serve five years of supervised release following his release from prison. Lewis was also ordered to pay a \$1,000 fine, and a \$100 special assessment.

The case was investigated by Rockford office of the Drug Enforcement Administration, and the Rockford-Winnebago County Metro Narcotics Unit. The case was prosecuted in federal court by Assistant United States Attorney Joseph C. Pedersen.

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